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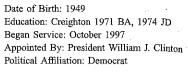
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Richard G. Kopf

District Judge

Date of Birth: 1946 Education: Nebraska (Kearney) 1969 BA; Nebraska 1972 JD Began Service: May 26, 1992 Appointed By: President George H.W. Bush

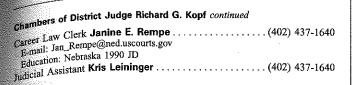
Clerkships: Law Clerk The Honorable Donald R. Ross, United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit (1972-1974)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the District of Nebraska (1987-1992)

Legal Practice: Cook, Kopf & Doyle (1974-1987)

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Date of Birth: 1953

Education: Stanford 1974 BA; Nebraska 1977 JD Began Service: November 2, 2001 Appointed By: President George W. Bush

Political Affiliation: Republican



Corporate: Associate General Counsel, First National Bank and Trust Company (1977-1978)

Government: General Counsel, Department of Correctional Services, State of Nebraska (1980-1991); Chief, Civil Rights Section, Department of Justice, State of Nebraska (1991-1995); Chief Deputy Attorney General for Criminal Matters, Department of Justice, State of Nebraska (1995-2001)

Legal Practice: Associate, Turner & Boisseau (1978-1979); Solo Practicioner (1980)

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Warren K. Urbom

Date of Birth: 1925

Senior Judge

Education: Wesleyan U 1950 AB; Michigan 1953 JD

Began Service: 1970

Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon

Political Affiliation: Republican

Academic: Adjunct Instructor of Trial Advocacy, College of Law, University of Nebraska-Lincoln (1979-1991); Adjunct Instructor of Trial Techniques, Emory University (1994-1996)

Legal Practice: Associate, Baylor, Evnen, Baylor, Urbom & Curtiss

Military Service: United States Army (1944-1946)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers; Lincoln Bar Association; Nebraska State Bar Association

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Lyle E. Strom

Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1925 Education: Creighton 1950 AB, 1953 JD Began Service: November 1, 1985 Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan Political Affiliation: Republican

Academic: Adjunct Professor, School of Law, Creighton University

Legal Practice: Fitzgerald, Brown, Leahy, Strom, Schorr & Barmettler (1953-1985)

Military Service: United States Merchant Marines (1943-1946)

Current Memberships: American Bar Foundation, American Bar Association; American College of Trial Lawyers; American Judicature Society; International Academy of Trial Lawyers; Nebraska State Bar Association; Omaha Bar Association

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Thomas D. Thalken Magistrate Judge

Date of Birth: 1942

Education: Creighton 1964 BA, 1966 JD

Began Service: January 4, 1993 Term Expires: January 4, 2017

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, District of Nebraska, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1971-1980); First Assistant United States Attorney, District of Nebraska, Office of the United States Attorney, United States Department of Justice (1981-1993)

Military Service: United States Army (1964-1970)

Current Memberships: Nebraska State Bar Association; Omaha Bar Association

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